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	AC	3,881,914	5/6/75	HEIDELBERG	75	.5	
	AD	3,902,102	8/26/75	BURN	317	258	
	AE	4,122,232	10/24/78	KUO	428	323	
	AF	4,140,817	2/20/79	BROWN	427	96	
	AG	4,383,852	5/17/83	YOSHIZAWA	75	.5	
	AH	4,450,188	5/22/84	KAWASUMI	427	217	
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	AJ	4,645,532	2/24/87	MACKIW ET AL.	75	.5	
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	AR	5,283,104	2/1/94	AOUDE ET AL.	428	195	
	AS	5,296,189	3/22/94	KANG ET AL.	419	9	
	AT	5,418,193	5/23/95	TANI ET AL.	501	19	
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AB	AV	5,470,373	11/28/95	EDELSTEIN ET AL.	75	255	
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